

15 February 1956

Lt. Gen. Willard S. Paul, USA (Ret.)  
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Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Paul:

Reply to your letter of 13 December 1955 addressed to Mr. Dulles was deferred in order to permit a meeting between representatives of your Office and our Office of Communications. This has been accomplished, with Lieutenant Colonel Dotson and Major Peters representing the Office of Defense Mobilization.

As you probably are aware, this Agency already has made preparations which meet most of the requirements outlined in your letter. Since our present preparations, however, rely on microwave channels for linking our relocation center with High Point, it was agreed at the conference mentioned above to accept the landlines for which you have made financial and installation provisions. It was also agreed that in the interest of economy it would not be necessary to duplicate the terminal equipments where such facilities already exist. Accordingly, agreement was reached on the specific points of the requirements listed in your letter and we may now proceed with the necessary installation work.

In a separate memorandum to Mr. Martin we have listed the specific points of agreement and suggested measures for accomplishing individual actions.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Director

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